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SYMPOSIUM SPOTLIGHT: GREEN SCHOOLS TOUR

Take a tour of schools in the Baton Rouge area that have exemplary environmental programs.

Take a tour of schools in the Baton Rouge area with exemplary environmental education programs and projects. From gardens and campus recycling programs to experimental labs, you're sure to get tons of new green initiative ideas for your school and classroom. See what works firsthand and find out what it takes to get a grant to make it happen!

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Below: Students at Westdale Heights Academic Magnet monitor campus bird feeders as part of Project Feederwatch. **Inset:** Fourth graders make drawings of the birds they observe. See more about the project at <http://feederwatch.org/blog/project-feederwatch-in-action-in-baton-rouge-la/>



GET INSPIRED BY SCHOOLS WITH GREAT IDEAS.



Above: Baton Rouge Magnet High School students maintain flower gardens during regular beautification events. **Inset:** BRMHS students teach local elementary students about sustainability using the Dr. Seuss book, *The Lorax*.

Schools, districts, and institutions of higher education that are making progress toward improving resource conservation and sustainability, promote the health of their students and faculty, and foster engagement between students and their environment exemplify the characteristics of a green school. Visit wlf.la.gov/green-schools.

GREEN SCHOOL PROGRAMS ARE DESIGNED TO:

- REDUCE ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACTS AND COSTS
- IMPROVE HEALTH AND WELLNESS
- PROMOTE EFFECTIVE ENVIRONMENTAL AND SUSTAINABILITY EDUCATION.